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1. \( \sum \) The amendment filed on \( 2-27-06 \) and \( 2-28-06 \) under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:							
a) ⊠ entered.							
b) 🗌	entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.						
c) 🗌	c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.  Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.						
d) 🗌	disapproved. See explanation below.						
e) 🗀	entered in part. See explanation below.						
The formal drawings are received and entered and the corresponding change to the specification details is entered as well.							
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